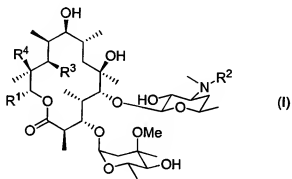


ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Motilide compounds having the formula (I),



wherein R¹, R², R³, and R⁴ are as defined herein, and methods for their preparation and use in the treatment of diseases or conditions characterized by impaired gastric motility.